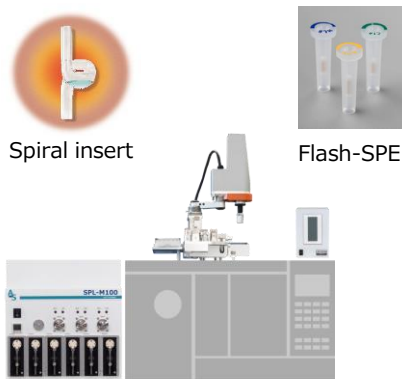


Metabolome analysis of saliva

by online solid-phase analytical derivatization GC-MS system

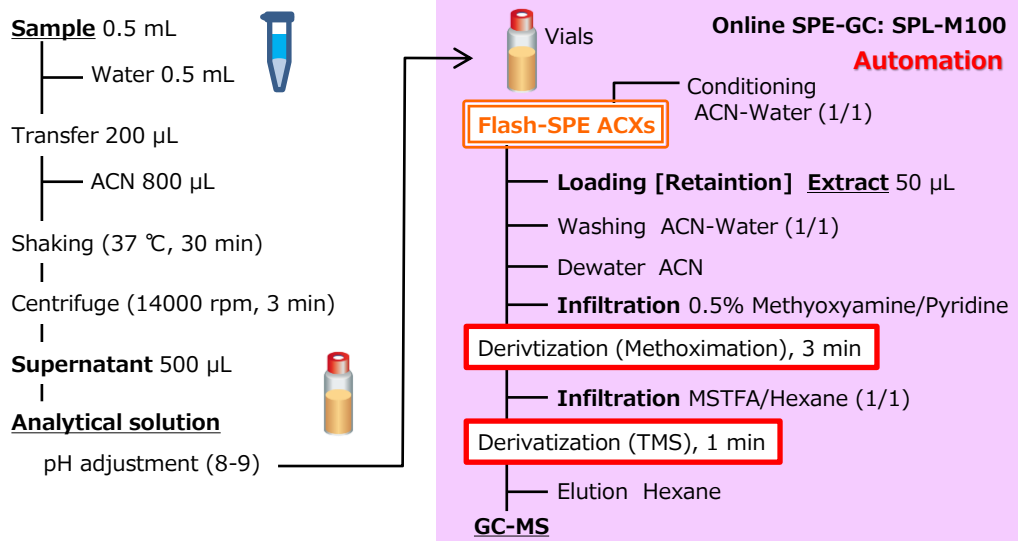
Introduction

Solid-phase derivatization (SPD) is a technique of derivatization without the time-consuming centrifugal concentration and lyophilization, by retaining the target compounds on a solid phase and dewatering it by passing an organic solvent through it then infiltrating the derivatization reagent and performing the reaction on the solid phase. The example of pretreatment method and analytical condition for metabolome analysis of saliva are shown below.



Online SPE-GC-MS system

SPD pretreatment workflow



Analytical condition

| | |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| SPE-GC interface | SPL-M100 (AiSTI SCIENCE) |
| SPE cartridge | Flash-SPE |
| PTV injection port | LVI-S250 (AiSTI SCIENCE) |
| Insert type | Spiral insert |
| Temp. | 220 $^{\circ}$ C(0.5 min)-50 $^{\circ}$ C/min-290 $^{\circ}$ C(23 min) |
| Gas chromatograph | |
| Inlet mode | Split 1:50 |
| Flow mode | Constant flow, 1.0 mL/min |
| Pre-column | 0.25 mm i.d. x 0.5 m |
| Column | Vf-5ms, 0.25 mm i.d. x 30 m, df=0.25 μ m |
| Oven Temp. | 100 $^{\circ}$ C(2 min)-10 $^{\circ}$ C/min-320 $^{\circ}$ C(2min) |
| Transfer line Temp. | 290 $^{\circ}$ C |
| Mass spectrometer | |
| Acquisition mode | Scan (m/z 70-600) |
| Data acquisition | 3.0-26 min |



SPL-M100
for SPE-GC system

Sample

Saliva

Information

AiSTI SCIENCE

Product

Online SPE-GC
SPL-M100
Solid-phase cartridge
Flash-SPE
GC large volume injection port
LVI-S250



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Results

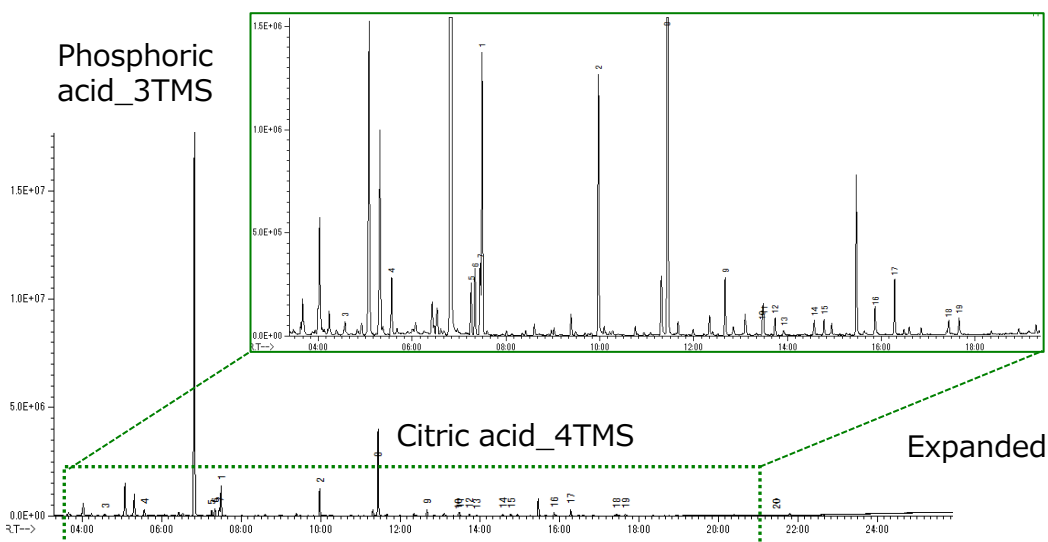


Figure: Total ion current chromatogram

Table: Result of recovery test (n=5)

| Sample | No. | Norleucine_2TMS | Adipic acid_2TMS | Sample | No. | Norleucine_2TMS | Adipic acid_2TMS |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|
| Standard solution | S1 | 2,448,000 | 111,000 | Saliva | Feces_K1 | 2,310,000 | 126,700 |
| IS concentrations: 20 μ M in vials | S2 | 2,374,000 | 110,200 | Dilution: 10 times | Feces_K2 | 2,025,000 | 115,300 |
| | S3 | 2,313,000 | 102,700 | Spike period of IS: After | Feces_K3 | 2,134,000 | 117,700 |
| | S4 | 2,383,000 | 110,300 | | Feces_K4 | 2,063,000 | 109,300 |
| | S5 | 2,349,000 | 103,400 | | Feces_K5 | 2,197,000 | 120,900 |
| | <i>Ave.</i> | <i>2,373,400</i> | <i>107,520</i> | deprotonization, 20 μ M in vials | <i>Ave.</i> | <i>2,145,800</i> | <i>117,980</i> |
| | <i>RSD, %</i> | <i>2.1</i> | <i>3.8</i> | | <i>RSD, %</i> | <i>5.3</i> | <i>5.5</i> |
| | | | | (K/Sx100) Recovery, % | | 90 | 110 |
| | | | | Saliva | Feces_A1 | 1,978,000 | 121,700 |
| | | | | Dilution: 10 times | Feces_A2 | 1,961,000 | 113,900 |
| | | | | | Feces_A3 | 2,080,000 | 122,200 |
| | | | | Spike period of IS: Before extraction, | Feces_A4 | 1,968,000 | 111,400 |
| | | | | 200 μ M in saliva | Feces_A5 | 2,054,000 | 122,300 |
| | | | | (20 μ M in vials) | <i>Ave.</i> | <i>2,008,200</i> | <i>118,300</i> |
| | | | | | <i>RSD, %</i> | <i>2.7</i> | <i>4.4</i> |
| | | | | (A/Sx100) Recovery, % | | 85 | 110 |
| | | | | (A/Kx100) Recovery, % | | 94 | 100 |

Table: Result of repeatability test (RSD%)

| No. | Metabolites | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | <i>Ave.</i> | <i>RSD, %</i> |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------------|---------------|
| 1 | Alanine_2TMS | 124,100 | 108,500 | 112,100 | 113,300 | 114,200 | <i>114,440</i> | 5.1 |
| 2 | Urea_3TMS | 59,950 | 53,270 | 65,700 | 54,050 | 70,000 | <i>60,594</i> | 12.0 |
| 3 | Proline_2TMS | 481,000 | 418,600 | 437,000 | 432,700 | 454,600 | <i>444,780</i> | 5.4 |
| 4 | Glycine_3TMS | 354,300 | 319,700 | 323,500 | 322,100 | 340,900 | <i>332,100</i> | 4.5 |
| 5 | Succinic acid_2TMS | 49,020 | 46,330 | 45,910 | 44,520 | 46,790 | <i>46,514</i> | 3.5 |
| 6 | 5-Aminovaleric acid_3TMS | 4,982,000 | 4,212,000 | 4,519,000 | 4,623,000 | 4,786,000 | <i>4,624,400</i> | 6.3 |
| 7 | Putrescine_4TMS | 457,300 | 404,100 | 422,900 | 413,200 | 438,100 | <i>427,120</i> | 4.9 |
| 8 | Citric acid_4TMS | 9,392 | 8,965 | 8,049 | 8,148 | 7,767 | <i>8,464</i> | 8.1 |
| 9 | Ornithine_4TMS | 74,060 | 62,220 | 63,890 | 63,740 | 68,900 | <i>66,562</i> | 7.3 |
| 10 | Cadaverine_4TMS | 131,400 | 113,400 | 119,100 | 116,700 | 124,200 | <i>120,960</i> | 5.8 |
| 11 | Myristic acid_TMS | 15,190 | 14,160 | 14,430 | 12,530 | 14,170 | <i>14,096</i> | 6.9 |
| 12 | Lysine_4TMS | 15,050 | 12,850 | 13,010 | 13,890 | 14,080 | <i>13,776</i> | 6.5 |
| 13 | Tyrosine_3TMS | 105,300 | 90,520 | 96,260 | 91,420 | 96,840 | <i>96,068</i> | 6.1 |
| 14 | Palmitic acid_TMS | 73,910 | 72,730 | 74,010 | 63,600 | 75,890 | <i>72,028</i> | 6.7 |
| 15 | Uritic acid_4MS | 122,400 | 105,400 | 111,000 | 111,300 | 108,700 | <i>111,760</i> | 5.7 |
| 16 | Oleic Acid_TMS | 17,690 | 18,570 | 16,440 | 15,330 | 16,250 | <i>16,856</i> | 7.6 |
| 17 | Stearic acid_TMS | 40,930 | 39,760 | 38,730 | 34,410 | 39,650 | <i>38,696</i> | 6.5 |